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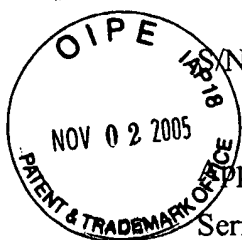
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Dear Sir:

The oath in this application (signed in May, 2004 and submitted on August 4, 2004 in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts) purports to claim priority to U.K. Patent Application Serial No. 0227819.0 filed November 28, 2002. No certified copy of that priority document has been supplied to the Patent Office and no claim of priority is continuing.

It is Applicants' belief that a substitute declaration is not required. In the event the Commissioner believes such a substitute declaration is required, it is requested that notice of such be sent to the undersigned. This Communication is submitted so that the file wrapper and any issued patent reflects all facts.

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